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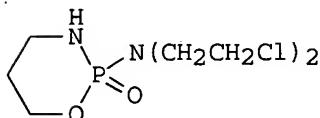
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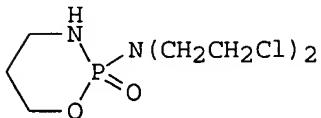
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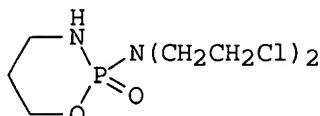
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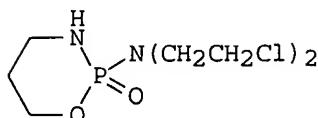
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:803767 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:204804  
TITLE: In vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities of  
Betafектин PGG-glucan  
AUTHOR(S): Patchen, Myra L.; Vaudrain, Tracy; Correira, Heidi;  
Martin, Tracey; Reese, Debrah  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Alpha-Beta Technology, Worcester, MA, USA  
SOURCE: Experimental Hematology (Charlottesville, Virginia)  
(1998), 26(13), 1247-1254  
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LANGUAGE: English

AB Betafектин PGG-glucan is a novel  $\beta$ -(1,3)glucan that has broad-spectrum anti-infective activities without cytokine induction. Here the authors report that PGG-glucan also has both in vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities. In vitro studies with bone marrow target cells from the C3H/HeN mouse revealed that although PGG-glucan alone had no direct effect on hematopoietic colony-forming cell (CFC) growth, when combined with granulocyte colony-stimulating factor (CSF) or granulocyte-macrophage CSF, it increased CFC nos. 1.5- to 2.0-fold over those obtained with CSFs alone. Bone marrow cells cultured for high-proliferative-potential CFCs in the presence of interleukin (IL)-1, IL-3, macrophage CSF, and stem cell factor (SCF), or cultured for erythroid burst-forming units in the presence of IL-3, SCF, and erythropoietin, also exhibited enhanced growth in the presence of PGG-glucan. The synergistic effect of PGG-glucan was specific and could be abrogated by anti-PGG-glucan antibody. The ability of PGG-glucan to modulate hematopoiesis in vivo was evaluated in myelosuppressed rodents and primates. C3H/HeN female mice were i.v. administered saline solution or PGG-glucan (0.5 mg/kg) 24 h before the i.p. administration of cyclophosphamide (200 mg/kg), and the recovery of bone marrow cellularity and granulocyte-macrophage progenitor cells was evaluated on days 4 and 8 after cyclophosphamide treatment. At both time points, enhanced hematopoietic recovery was observed in PGG-glucan-treated mice compared with saline-treated control mice. In a final series of in vivo expts., the authors evaluated the ability of therapeutically administered PGG-glucan to enhance hematopoietic recovery in cyclophosphamide-treated cynomolgus monkeys. Monkeys received i.v. infusions of cyclophosphamide (55 mg/kg) on days 1 and 2, followed on days 3 and 10 by i.v. infusion of PGG-glucan (0.5, 1.0, or 2.0 mg/kg). Compared with those in saline-treated monkeys, accelerated white blood cell recovery and a reduction in the median duration of neutropenia were observed in PGG-glucan-treated monkeys. These studies illustrate that PGG-glucan has both in vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities and that this agent may be useful in the prevention and/or treatment of chemotherapy-associated myelosuppression.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:202741  
TITLE: Induction of apoptosis in human prostatic cancer cells  
with  $\beta$ -glucan (Maitake mushroom polysaccharide)  
Fullerton, Sean A.; Samadi, Albert A.; Tortorelis,  
Dean G.; Choudhury, Muhammad S.; Mallouh, Camille;  
Tazaki, Hiroshi; Konno, Sensuke  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Urology, New York Medical College,  
Valhalla, NY, USA  
SOURCE: Molecular Urology (2000), 4(1), 7-13  
CODEN: MOURFE; ISSN: 1091-5362  
PUBLISHER: Mary Ann Liebert, Inc.  
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LANGUAGE: English

AB Human prostate cancer PC-3 cells were treated with various concns. of the highly purified  $\beta$ -glucan preparation Grifron-D (GD), and viability was determined after 24 h. Lipid peroxidn. (LPO) assay and in situ hybridization (ISH) were performed to evaluate the antitumor mechanism of GD. A concentration-response study showed that almost complete (>95%) cell death was attained in 24 h with GD  $\geq$ 480  $\mu$ g/mL. Combinations of GD in a concentration as low as 30-60  $\mu$ g/mL with 200  $\mu$ M vitamin C were as effective as GD alone at 480  $\mu$ g/mL, inducing >90% cytotoxic cell death. Simultaneous use with various anticancer drugs showed little potentiation of their efficacy, except for the carmustine/GD combination (.apprx.90% reduction in cell viability). The 2-fold elevated LPO level and pos. ISH staining of GD-treated cells indicated oxidative membrane damage resulting in apoptotic cell death. Thus, a bioactive  $\beta$ -glucan from the Maitake mushroom has a cytotoxic effect, presumably through oxidative stress, on prostatic cancer cells in vitro, leading to apoptosis. Potentiation of GD action by vitamin C and the chemosensitizing effect of GD on carmustine may also have clin. implications. This unique mushroom polysaccharide may have potential as an alternative therapeutic modality for prostate cancer.

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 AUTHOR(S): Harada, Toshie; Masuda, Susumu; Arii, Masayuki; Adachi, Yoshiyuki; Nakajima, Mitsuhiro; Yadomae, Toshiro; Ohno, Naohito  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratory for Immunopharmacology of Microbial Products, School of Pharmacy, Tokyo University of Pharmacy and Life Science, 1432-1 Horinouchi, Hachioji, Tokyo, 192-0392, Japan  
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 AB Soy isoflavone aglycons (IFAs) have a wide range of biol. actions that suggest they may be of use in cancer prevention. A branched  $\beta$ - glucan from Sparassis crispa (SCG) is a major 6-branched 1,3- $\beta$ -D- glucan in an edible/medicinal mushroom, Sparassis crispa, showing antitumor activity. We have previously reported that both oral and i.p. administration of SCG enhanced the hematopoietic response in cyclophosphamide (CY)-induced leukopenic mice. In this study, we investigated the hematopoietic response due to IFA in combination with SCG in CY-induced leukopenic mice. The oral administration of IFA in combination with SCG synergistically enhanced the number of white blood cells, and increased spleen weight. Analyzing the leukocyte population by flow cytometry, the combination of IFA and SCG increased the number of monocytes and granulocytes in the spleen. Taken together, the combination of IFA and SCG synergistically provides the hematopoietic responses that are enhanced over IFA or SCG alone.  
 REFERENCE COUNT: 20 THERE ARE 20 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L3 ANSWER 2 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:259651 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:291363  
 TITLE: Chemotherapeutic antineoplastic treatment  
 INVENTOR(S): Yvin, Jean-Claude; Vetvicka, Vaclav  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Fr.  
 SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 10 pp.  
 CODEN: USXXCO  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: English  
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SN, TD, TG

PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2003-668661 A 20030923

AB Chemotherapeutic method for the treatment of cancer comprising  
administration of an effective amount of an antineoplastic agent in  
conjunction with an effective amount of a  $\beta$ -1,3 glucan is disclosed.

L3 ANSWER 3 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:808828 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 140:138897  
TITLE:  $\beta$ -Glucan inhibits the genotoxicity of cyclophosphamide, adriamycin and cisplatin  
AUTHOR(S): Tohamy, Amaly A.; El-Ghor, Akmal A.; El-Nahas, Soheir M.; Noshay, Magda M.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Faculty of Science, Zoology Department, Helwan University, Cairo, Egypt  
SOURCE: Mutation Research (2003), 541(1-2), 45-53  
CODEN: MUREAV; ISSN: 0027-5107  
PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science B.V.  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB The inhibitory effects of  $\beta$ - glucan ( $\beta$ G), one of the biol. response modifiers, on the induction of chromosomal aberrations in the bone marrow and spermatogonial cells of mice treated with various anti-neoplastic drugs were investigated.  $\beta$ - Glucan (100 mg/kg bw, i.p.) pre-treatment reduced the total number of cells with structural chromosomal aberrations scored after the treatment with cyclophosphamide (CP) (2.5 mg/kg bw, i.p.) adriamycin (ADR) (12 mg/kg bw, i.p.) and cis-diamminedichloroplatinum-II (cisplatin) (5 mg/kg bw, i.p.) by about 41.1, 26.9 and 57.7% in bone marrow and 44.4, 55 and 57.1% in spermatogonial cells, resp. This protective effect of  $\beta$ - glucan could be attributed to its scavenging ability to trap free-radicals produced during the biotransformation of these anti-neoplastic drugs.  $\beta$ - Glucan also markedly restored the mitotic activity of bone marrow cells that had been suppressed by the anti-neoplastic drugs. These results indicate that in addition to the known immunopotentiating activity of  $\beta$ - glucan, it plays a role in reducing genotoxicity induced by anti-neoplastic drugs during cancer chemotherapy.

REFERENCE COUNT: 48 THERE ARE 48 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L3 ANSWER 4 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:324986 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:202741  
TITLE: Induction of apoptosis in human prostatic cancer cells with  $\beta$ -glucan (Maitake mushroom polysaccharide)  
AUTHOR(S): Fullerton, Sean A.; Samadi, Albert A.; Tortorello, Dean G.; Choudhury, Muhammad S.; Mallouh, Camille; Tazaki, Hiroshi; Konno, Sensuke  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Urology, New York Medical College, Valhalla, NY, USA  
SOURCE: Molecular Urology (2000), 4(1), 7-13  
CODEN: MOURFE; ISSN: 1091-5362  
PUBLISHER: Mary Ann Liebert, Inc.  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB Human prostate cancer PC-3 cells were treated with various concns. of the highly purified  $\beta$ -glucan preparation Grifron-D (GD), and viability was determined after 24 h. Lipid peroxidn. (LPO) assay and in situ hybridization (ISH) were performed to evaluate the antitumor mechanism of GD. A concentration-response study showed that almost complete (>95%) cell death was attained in 24 h with GD  $\geq$ 480  $\mu$ g/mL. Combinations of GD in a

concentration as low as 30-60 µg/mL with 200 µM vitamin C were as effective as GD alone at 480 µg/mL, inducing >90% cytotoxic cell death. Simultaneous use with various anticancer drugs showed little potentiation of their efficacy, except for the carmustine/GD combination (.apprx.90% reduction in cell viability). The 2-fold elevated LPO level and pos. ISH staining of GD-treated cells indicated oxidative membrane damage resulting in apoptotic cell death. Thus, a bioactive β-glucan from the Maitake mushroom has a cytotoxic effect, presumably through oxidative stress, on prostatic cancer cells *in vitro*, leading to apoptosis. Potentiation of GD action by vitamin C and the chemosensitizing effect of GD on carmustine may also have clin. implications. This unique mushroom polysaccharide may have potential as an alternative therapeutic modality for prostate cancer.

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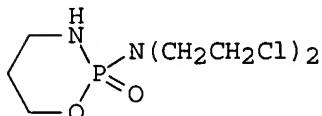
L3 ANSWER 5 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:803767 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:204804  
TITLE: In vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities of Betafectin PGG-glucan  
AUTHOR(S): Patchen, Myra L.; Vaudrain, Tracy; Correira, Heidi; Martin, Tracey; Reese, Debrah  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Alpha-Beta Technology, Worcester, MA, USA  
SOURCE: Experimental Hematology (Charlottesville, Virginia) (1998), 26(13), 1247-1254  
CODEN: EXHMA6; ISSN: 0301-472X  
PUBLISHER: Carden Jennings Publishing  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB Betaflectin PGG-glucan is a novel β-(1,3)glucan that has broad-spectrum anti-infective activities without cytokine induction. Here the authors report that PGG-glucan also has both *in vitro* and *in vivo* hematopoietic activities. *In vitro* studies with bone marrow target cells from the C3H/HeN mouse revealed that although PGG-glucan alone had no direct effect on hematopoietic colony-forming cell (CFC) growth, when combined with granulocyte colony-stimulating factor (CSF) or granulocyte-macrophage CSF, it increased CFC nos. 1.5- to 2.0-fold over those obtained with CSFs alone. Bone marrow cells cultured for high-proliferative-potential CFCs in the presence of interleukin (IL)-1, IL-3, macrophage CSF, and stem cell factor (SCF), or cultured for erythroid burst-forming units in the presence of IL-3, SCF, and erythropoietin, also exhibited enhanced growth in the presence of PGG-glucan. The synergistic effect of PGG-glucan was specific and could be abrogated by anti-PGG-glucan antibody. The ability of PGG-glucan to modulate hematopoiesis *in vivo* was evaluated in myelosuppressed rodents and primates. C3H/HeN female mice were i.v. administered saline solution or PGG-glucan (0.5 mg/kg) 24 h before the i.p. administration of cyclophosphamide (200 mg/kg), and the recovery of bone marrow cellularity and granulocyte-macrophage progenitor cells was evaluated on days 4 and 8 after cyclophosphamide treatment. At both time points, enhanced hematopoietic recovery was observed in PGG-glucan-treated mice compared with saline-treated control mice. In a final series of *in vivo* expts., the authors evaluated the ability of therapeutically administered PGG-glucan to enhance hematopoietic recovery in cyclophosphamide-treated cynomolgus monkeys. Monkeys received i.v. infusions of cyclophosphamide (55 mg/kg) on days 1 and 2, followed on days 3 and 10 by i.v. infusion of PGG-glucan (0.5, 1.0, or 2.0 mg/kg). Compared with those in saline-treated monkeys, accelerated white blood cell recovery and a reduction in the median duration of neutropenia were observed in PGG-glucan-treated monkeys. These studies illustrate that PGG-glucan has both *in vitro* and *in vivo* hematopoietic activities and that this agent may be useful in the prevention and/or treatment of chemotherapy-associated myelosuppression.

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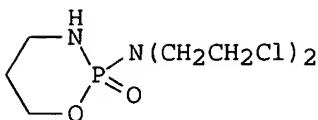
L3 ANSWER 6 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1978:453416 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 89:53416  
 TITLE: Enhancement of the inhibitory effect of cyclophosphamide on experimental acute myelogenous leukemia by glucan immunopotentiation and response of serum lysozyme  
 AUTHOR(S): Di Luzio, N. R.; Cook, J. A.; Cohen, C.; Rodrigue, J.; Kokoshis, P.; McNamee, R. B.  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Physiol., Tulane Univ. Sch. Med., New Orleans, LA, USA  
 SOURCE: Progress in Cancer Research and Therapy (1978), 7(Immune Modulation Control Neoplasia Adjuvant Ther.), 171-82  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: CODEN: PCRTDK; ISSN: 0145-3726  
 LANGUAGE: Journal English  
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AB Tumor growth was reduced in rats receiving either **cyclophosphamide** (I) [50-18-0] or **glucan** [9012-72-0] alone compared to control rats. The most effective antineoplastic action, however, was evident with concurrent **glucan** and I therapy as denoted by a mean 97% decrease in tumor weight compared to control rats. Phagocytic activity of the reticuloendothelial system was subsequently evaluated after singular or combined administration of **glucan** and I. I abrogated the **glucan**-induced hyperphagocytic state even though interaction of these 2 agents was extremely effective in inducing tumor regression. Increased survival to i.v. administered acute myelogenous leukemic cells was also observed in the **glucan**- and I-treated group. I inhibited **glucan**-induced hepatic and pulmonary granuloma. **Glucan** elevated serum lysozyme [9001-63-2] concns. in both the presence and absence of I. **Glucan** may be a valuable adjunct to conventional cancer chemotherapy.

L3 ANSWER 7 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1978:453298 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 89:53298  
 TITLE: The synergistic effect of cyclophosphamide and glucan on experimental acute myelogenous and lymphocytic leukemia  
 AUTHOR(S): Di Luzio, N. R.; Cook, J. A.; Cohen, C.; Rodrigue, J.; Jones, E.  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Physiol., Tulane Univ. Sch. Med., New Orleans, LA, USA  
 SOURCE: Proc. EURES Symp. Macrophage Cancer (1977), 188-201.  
 Editor(s): James, Keith; McBride, Bill; Stuart, Angus.  
 Univ. Edinburgh, Med. Sch.: Edinburgh, Scot.  
 CODEN: 38BZA9  
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 LANGUAGE: English  
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AB In rats with Shay myelogenous leukemia, primary tumor growth was significantly reduced after administration of either **cyclophosphamide** (I) [50-18-0] (40 mg/kg, i.p., on days 3 and 6) or **glucan** [9012-72-0] (10 mg/kg, i.v. on days 3 and 6) alone compared to control rats. The most effective antineoplastic action, however, was evident with concurrent **glucan** and I therapy as denoted by a mean 97% decrease in tumor weight compared to control rats. In mice, increased survival after i.v. administered acute myelogenous leukemic cells was also observed in the **glucan** and I-treated group. I inhibited, to some degree, the **glucan**-induced hepatic granuloma. The degree of hepatic metastases was significantly reduced in both rats and mice by the conjoint use of I and **glucan**. Thus, **glucan** may be a valuable adjunct to conventional **cancer** chemotherapy.

L3 ANSWER 8 OF 9 MEDLINE on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005643622 IN-PROCESS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 16327179  
 TITLE: Soy isoflavone aglycone modulates a hematopoietic response in combination with soluble beta-glucan: SCG.  
 AUTHOR: Harada Toshie; Masuda Susumu; Arii Masayuki; Adachi Yoshiyuki; Nakajima Mitsuhiro; Yadomae Toshiro; Ohno Naohito  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Laboratory for Immunopharmacology of Microbial Products, School of Pharmacy, Tokyo University of Pharmacy & Life Science, Hachioji, Japan.  
 SOURCE: Biological & pharmaceutical bulletin, (2005 Dec) 28 (12) 2342-5.  
 Journal code: 9311984. ISSN: 0918-6158.  
 PUB. COUNTRY: Japan  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
 LANGUAGE: English  
 FILE SEGMENT: NONMEDLINE; IN-PROCESS; NONINDEXED; Priority Journals  
 ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 20051206  
 Last Updated on STN: 20051221

AB Soy isoflavone aglycones (IFAs) have a wide range of biological actions that suggest they may be of use in **cancer** prevention. On the other hand, a branched beta-**glucan** from Sparassis crispa (SCG) is a major 6-branched 1,3-beta-D-**glucan** in an edible/medicinal mushroom: Sparassis crispa showing antitumor activity. We have previously reported that both oral and intraperitoneal administration of SCG enhanced the hematopoietic response in **cyclophosphamide** (CY)-induced leukopenic mice. In this study, we investigated the hematopoietic response due to IFA in combination with SCG in CY-induced leukopenic mice. The oral administration of IFA in combination with SCG synergistically enhanced the number of white blood cells, and increased spleen weight. Analyzing the leukocyte population by flow cytometry, the combination of IFA and SCG increased the number of monocytes and granulocytes in the spleen. Taken together, the combination of IFA and SCG synergistically provides the hematopoietic responses that are enhanced over IFA or SCG alone.

L3 ANSWER 9 OF 9 MEDLINE on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003491804 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 14568293

TITLE: Beta-glucan inhibits the genotoxicity of cyclophosphamide, adriamycin and cisplatin.

AUTHOR: Tohamy Amany A; El-Ghor Akmal A; El-Nahas Soheir M; Noshy Magda M

CORPORATE SOURCE: Zoology Department, Faculty of Science, Helwan University, Cairo, Egypt.

SOURCE: Mutation research, (2003 Nov 10) 541 (1-2) 45-53.  
Journal code: 0400763. ISSN: 0027-5107.

PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

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AB The inhibitory effects of **beta-glucan** (betaG), one of the biological response modifiers, on the induction of chromosomal aberrations in the bone marrow and spermatogonial cells of mice treated with various anti-neoplastic drugs were investigated. **beta-Glucan** (100 mg/kg bw, i.p.) pre-treatment reduced the total number of cells with structural chromosomal aberrations scored after the treatment with **cyclophosphamide** (CP) (2.5 mg/kg bw, i.p.) adriamycin (ADR) (12 mg/kg bw, i.p.) and **cis-diamminedichloroplatinum-II** (cisplatin) (5 mg/kg bw, i.p.) by about 41.1, 26.9 and 57.7% in bone marrow and 44.4, 55 and 57.1% in spermatogonial cells, respectively. This protective effect of **beta-glucan** could be attributed to its scavenging ability to trap free-radicals produced during the biotransformation of these anti-neoplastic drugs. **Beta-glucan** also markedly restored the mitotic activity of bone marrow cells that had been suppressed by the anti-neoplastic drugs. These results indicate that in addition to the known immunopotentiating activity of **beta-glucan**, it plays a role in reducing genotoxicity induced by anti-neoplastic drugs during **cancer** chemotherapy.

L5 ANSWER 1 OF 1 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:503739 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 117:103739  
TITLE: Suppressing effects of glucan on micronuclei induced by cyclophosphamide in mice  
AUTHOR(S): Chorvatovicova, Darina; Navarova, Jana  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Inst. Ecobiol., Slovak Acad. Sci., Bratislava, 814 34, Czech.  
SOURCE: Mutation Research (1992), 282(3), 147-50  
CODEN: MUREAV; ISSN: 0027-5107  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB The effect of pretreatment with **carboxymethylglucan** (CMG) on the frequency of micronuclei induced by **cyclophosphamide** administration in mice was evaluated. Two doses of CMG (50 mg/kg) injected either i.p. 24 h or i.v. 1 h prior to two **cyclophosphamide** administrations (80 mg/kg) significantly decreased the frequency of micronucleated PCE in bone marrow. Of two evaluated derivs. of **carboxymethylglucan**, the K3 derivative was most efficient. The results show that it is possible to achieve a suppressive effect of soluble **carboxymethylglucan** prepared from *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* against **cyclophosphamide** mutagenicity. The notion may be useful for **glucan**'s effects against pharmacocarcinogenesis. Therapeutic application of **glucan** with **cyclophosphamide** therapy may provide a remarkable decrease of the secondary tumor risk. The utilization of these results for human patients needs to be considered.

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L13 ANSWER 1 OF 2 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:394530 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:423818  
TITLE: Therapeutical combination against cancer comprising a monoclonal antibody with a glucan  
INVENTOR(S): Yvin, Jean-Claude; Panak, Edouard; Vetvicka, Vaclav  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Fr.  
SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 6 pp.  
CODEN: USXXCO  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
LANGUAGE: English  
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1  
PATENT INFORMATION:

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WO 2005049044	A1	20050602	WO 2004-EP13119	20041029
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2003-698034 A 20031030  
AB The present invention relates to compns. and methods for treating humans and warm-blood animals suffering from **cancer**. More particularly, a therapeutical treatment in which a monoclonal antibody is administered with either  $\beta$ -(1,3)-glucan like **laminarin** or an oligo- $\beta$ -(1,3)-glucan and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, to patients suffering from **cancer** are described. Female nude mice were implanted s.c. with human breast carcinoma cell line. Mice were injected i.p. with combination of Phycarine 500 mg/kg, once a day for 5 days and Herceptin 0.5 mg/kg, twice a week during 3 wk. The combined administration of Phycarine and Herceptin allowed a limitation in the increase of the **tumor** weight which was far higher than the mean value obtained when administering Herceptin or Phycarine alone; said activity on the **tumor** weight being even equivalent to the one obtained when administering a conventional dosage of taxol.

L13 ANSWER 2 OF 2 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:434382 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:12302  
TITLE: Laminaria polysaccharides for therapeutical treatments  
INVENTOR(S): Yvin, Jean-Claude; Vetvicka, Vaclav  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Laboratoires Goeemar S.A., Fr.  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 29 pp.  
CODEN: PIIXD2  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
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WO 2003045414	A2	20030605	WO 2002-EP13512	20021129

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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2001-999202 A 20011130  
WO 2002-EP13512 W 20021129

AB A therapeutical method comprises administration to a patient of an effective amount of especially soluble laminarin for the treatment of tumors and more generally of cancers of the group comprising breast cancer, lung cancer, esophagus cancer, stomach cancer, intestine and colon cancers, and for the treatment of viral, bacterial and fungal diseases as well as diseases related to immunostimulant deficiencies of human beings and warm-blood animals.

L12 ANSWER 17 OF 18 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999426885 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 10495437  
TITLE: Inhibition of heparanase activity and **tumor**  
metastasis by **laminarin** sulfate and synthetic  
phosphorothioate oligodeoxynucleotides.  
AUTHOR: Miao H Q; Elkin M; Aingorn E; Ishai-Michaeli R; Stein C A;  
Vlodavsky I  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Oncology, Hadassah University Hospital,  
Jerusalem, Israel.  
SOURCE: International journal of cancer. Journal international du  
cancer, (1999 Oct 29) 83 (3) 424-31.  
Journal code: 0042124. ISSN: 0020-7136.  
PUB. COUNTRY: United States  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
LANGUAGE: English  
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ENTRY MONTH: 199910  
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 19991101  
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Entered Medline: 19991021  
AB Heparanase activity correlates with the metastatic potential of  
**tumor** cells. Moreover, the anti-metastatic effect of  
non-anti-coagulant species of heparin and certain sulfated polysaccharides  
was attributed to their heparanase-inhibiting activity. We investigated  
the effect of a chemically sulfated polysaccharide (**laminarin**),  
consisting primarily of beta-1,3 glucan (sodium **laminarin**), and  
of synthetic phosphorothioate oligodeoxynucleotides, primarily  
phosphorothioate homopolymer of cytidine (SdC28), on heparanase activity  
and **tumor** metastasis. Investigation of the ability of  
**tumor** cells to degrade heparan sulfate in intact extracellular  
matrix revealed that heparanase activity expressed by B16-BL6 mouse  
melanoma cells and 13762 MAT rat mammary adenocarcinoma cells was  
effectively inhibited by LS (50% inhibition at 0.2-1 microgram/ml), but  
there was no inhibition by sodium **laminarin** up to a  
concentration of 50 microgram/ml. Complete inhibition of the melanoma  
heparanase was obtained in the presence of 0.1 microM SdC28. A single  
i.p. injection of **laminarin** sulfate, but not of sodium  
**laminarin**, before i.v. inoculation of the melanoma or  
breast-carcinoma cells inhibited the extent of lung colonization by the  
**tumor** cells by 80 to 90%. Similar inhibition was exerted by 0.1  
microM SdC28. At the effective concentrations, both compounds had a small  
effect on proliferation of the **tumor** cells and on growth of the  
primary **tumors** in vivo. These results further emphasize the  
involvement of heparanase in **tumor** metastasis and the potential  
clinical application of diverse heparanase-inhibiting molecules such as  
sulfated polysaccharides and synthetic polyanionic molecules.  
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L12 ANSWER 16 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1963:444312 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 59:44312  
ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 59:8030h  
TITLE: Effects of sulfated degraded laminarin on experimental tumor growth  
AUTHOR(S): Jolles, B.; Remington, Mary; Andrews, P. S.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Gen. Hosp., Northampton, UK  
SOURCE: British Journal of Cancer (1963), 17, 109-15  
CODEN: BJCAAI; ISSN: 0007-0920  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Unavailable  
AB The compound, a polysaccharide derivative, inhibited the growth of sarcoma 180 when injected at the site of the transplant or into growing tumors.

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L12 ANSWER 15 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1966:441776 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 65:41776  
ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 65:7840d-f  
TITLE: Comparative study of the biological action of polysaccharides glucan and laminarin  
AUTHOR(S): Fomina, I. P.; Navashin, S. M.; Preobrazhenskaya, M. E.; Rozenfel'd, E. L.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Res. Inst. Antibiot., Moscow  
SOURCE: Byulleten Eksperimental'noi Biologii i Meditsiny (1966), 61(5), 79-83  
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L12 ANSWER 11 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:423114 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:131856  
TITLE: Inhibition of angiogenesis and murine **tumor**  
growth by **laminarin** sulfate  
AUTHOR(S): Hoffman, R.; Paper, D. H.; Donaldson, J.; Vogl, H.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Clinical Oncology and Radiotherapeutics Unit, MRC  
Centre, Cambridge, CB2 2QH, UK  
SOURCE: British Journal of Cancer (1996), 73(10), 1183-1186  
CODEN: BJCAAI; ISSN: 0007-0920  
PUBLISHER: Stockton  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB LAM S5 is a polysulfated derivative of the glucan **laminarin** that  
inhibits basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF) binding and the  
bFGF-stimulated proliferation of fetal bovine heart endothelial (FBHE)  
cells. This report demonstrates that LAM S5 has anti-angiogenic activity,  
as shown by inhibition of tubule formation by endothelial cells cultured  
on Matrigel and inhibition of vascularization of the chick chorioallantoic  
membrane. In addition, LAM S5 caused a **tumor** growth delay of the  
murine RIF-1 **tumor** of 2.6 days.

L12 ANSWER 1 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:394530 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:423818  
 TITLE: Therapeutical combination against cancer comprising a monoclonal antibody with a glucan  
 INVENTOR(S): Yvin, Jean-Claude; Panak, Edouard; Vetvicka, Vaclav  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Fr.  
 SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 6 pp.  
 CODEN: USXXCO  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: English  
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1  
 PATENT INFORMATION:

PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
US 2005095250	A1	20050505	US 2003-698034	20031030
WO 2005049044	A1	20050602	WO 2004-EP13119	20041029
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2003-698034 A 20031030  
 AB The present invention relates to compns. and methods for treating humans and warm-blood animals suffering from cancer. More particularly, a therapeutical treatment in which a monoclonal antibody is administered with either  $\beta$ -(1,3)-glucan like laminarin or an oligo- $\beta$ -(1,3)-glucan and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, to patients suffering from cancer are described. Female nude mice were implanted s.c. with human breast carcinoma cell line. Mice were injected i.p. with combination of Phycarine 500 mg/kg, once a day for 5 days and Herceptin 0.5 mg/kg, twice a week during 3 wk. The combined administration of Phycarine and Herceptin allowed a limitation in the increase of the tumor weight which was far higher than the mean value obtained when administering Herceptin or Phycarine alone; said activity on the tumor weight being even equivalent to the one obtained when administering a conventional dosage of taxol.

L12 ANSWER 2 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2004:58418 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 141:386  
 TITLE: Role of selenium in antioxidative effect of heparin-selenocystamine  
 AUTHOR(S): Saito, Yoshihiro; Tsuda, Tsubasa; Eguchi, Ryoko; Sato, Takaji; Chikuma, Masahiko  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Bio-analytical Chemistry, Osaka University of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Osaka, 569-1094, Japan  
 SOURCE: Biomedical Research on Trace Elements (2003), 14(4), 329-331  
 CODEN: BRTEE5; ISSN: 0916-717X  
 PUBLISHER: Nippon Biryo Genso Gakkai  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
 LANGUAGE: English  
 AB Heparin-cystamine (Hep-Cyst), laminarin-selenocystamine

(Lam-SeCyst), and fucoidan-selenocystamine (Fuc-SeCyst) conjugates were newly synthesized by the same method as that for heparin-selenocystamine (Hep-SeCyst) which we have prepared before. Antioxidative effects of the selenocystamine (SeCyst) conjugates were compared with those of Hep-Cyst to clarify the role of selenium in SeCyst conjugates. Hep-Cyst had thiol groups in the mol., while SeCyst conjugates had selenol groups. At pH 6.0, Hep-SeCyst reacted with DTNB, but Hep-Cyst did not, though both of the conjugates reacted with DTNB at pH 8.0. It is considered that the result is caused by the difference in pKa value of thiol and selenol groups in the conjugates. Both Hep-SeCyst and Hep-Cyst had DPPH radical scavenging activity, and Hep-SeCyst showed higher activity than Hep-Cyst. The viability of Ehrlich ascites **tumor** cells (EATC), which was decreased by DPPH treatment, recovered by the simultaneous addition of SeCyst or Cyst conjugates, indicating that these conjugates have protective effect on EATC from oxidative damages induced by DPPH. The cytoprotective effects of SeCyst conjugates were also higher than that of Hep-Cyst. These results suggested that higher reactivity of selenol groups in SeCyst conjugates may be a primary factor of higher antioxidative activities, i.e., DPPH scavenging activity and cytoprotective activity against DPPH-induced oxidative damage.

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L12 ANSWER 3 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:434382 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:12302  
 TITLE: Laminaria polysaccharides for therapeutical treatments  
 INVENTOR(S): Yvin, Jean-Claude; Vetvicka, Vaclav  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Laboratoires Goeemar S.A., Fr.  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 29 pp.  
 CODEN: PIXXD2  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: English  
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 PATENT INFORMATION:

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WO 2003045414	A3	20031016		
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US 2003119780	A1	20030626	US 2001-999202	20011130
US 6660722	B2	20031209		
CA 2468314	AA	20030605	CA 2002-2468314	20021129
AU 2002352187	A1	20030610	AU 2002-352187	20021129
EP 1448215	A2	20040825	EP 2002-787872	20021129
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JP 2005510543	T2	20050421	JP 2003-546915	20021129
PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			US 2001-999202	A 20011130
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AB A therapeutical method comprises administration to a patient of an effective amount of especially soluble laminarin for the treatment of **tumors** and more generally of cancers of the group comprising

breast cancer, lung cancer, esophagus cancer, stomach cancer, intestine and colon cancers, and for the treatment of viral, bacterial and fungal diseases as well as diseases related to immunostimulant deficiencies of human beings and warm-blood animals.

L12 ANSWER 4 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:324193 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:345597  
TITLE: Study on mechanism of laminarin sulfate in prevention of experimental atherosclerosis  
AUTHOR(S): Liang, Xuguo; Du, Xiaoxia; Pan, Qixing  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Cardiology, Qilu Hospital, Shandong University, Jinan, 250012, Peop. Rep. China  
SOURCE: Zhongguo Haiyang Yaowu (2002), 21(5), 26-30  
CODEN: ZHYAE8; ISSN: 1002-3461  
PUBLISHER: Shandongsheng Haiyang Yaowu Kexue Yanjiuso  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Chinese  
AB The possible immunol. mechanism of **laminarin** sulfate in the prevention of exptl. atherosclerosis was analyzed. Serum soluble interleukin 2 receptor (sIL-2R), circulating immuno-complex, subunits of T lymphocyte, interleukin-6 (IL-6), interleukin-8 (IL-8), **tumor** necrosis factor- $\alpha$  (TNF- $\alpha$ ) and lipid metabolism were determined by ELISA, RIA in rats and quails. The lipid metabolism and immunol. function were prominently disturbed in animals after feeding with high-lipid food. **Laminarin** sulfate showed obvious regulating effects on above-mentioned index. The mechanism of **laminarin** sulfate in the prevention of atherosclerosis might be closely related to the regulation of the disturbance of lipid metabolism and to the regulation of the immunol. function of the body.

L12 ANSWER 5 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:321189 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:51655  
TITLE: Induction of TNF- $\alpha$  production from human peripheral blood monocytes with  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer prepared from laminarin with  $\beta$ -1,3-glucanase from *Bacillus clausii* NM-1  
AUTHOR(S): Miyanishi, Nobumitsu; Iwamoto, Yoshiko; Watanabe, Etsuo; Oda, Tatsuya  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Food Science and Technology, Tokyo University of Fisheries, Tokyo, 108-8477, Japan  
SOURCE: Journal of Bioscience and Bioengineering (2003), 95(2), 192-195  
CODEN: JBBIF6; ISSN: 1389-1723  
PUBLISHER: Society for Bioscience and Bioengineering, Japan  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB We prepared a  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer (DP $\geq$ 4) from laminarin (DP: 25-30) derived from *Laminaria digitata* with  $\beta$ -1,3-glucanase, and examined its effect on human peripheral blood monocytes. Conditioned medium prepared by incubating monocytes (MC-CM) with the  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer showed strong inhibitory activity against the proliferation of human leukemic U937 cells. Since the  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer had no direct cytotoxic effect on U937 cells up to 1000  $\mu$ g/mL, the cytotoxicity of the MC-CM may be due to cytotoxic cytokines produced from monocytes stimulated by the  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer. On the other hand, the MC-CM prepared with original laminarin had little effect on the growth of U937 cells. The cytotoxicity of the MC-CM prepared with the  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer was significantly reduced by an anti-TNF- $\alpha$  antibody, but the anti-TNF- $\beta$  antibody had no effect. Our results suggest that the enzymically depolymerd.  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan oligomer induces TNF- $\alpha$  production from human monocytes.

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L12 ANSWER 6 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:319914 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:304468  
TITLE: Method of preparing purified biologically active laminarin oligosaccharide libraries  
INVENTOR(S): Gulko, Mirit Kolog; Kelson, Idil Kasuto; Grosz-Moraga, Ana; Samokovlisky, Albena; Amor, Yehudit; Markman, Ofer; Shvartser, Leonid  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Procognia, Ltd., Israel  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 70 pp.  
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
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WO 2003033512	C2	20031030		
WO 2003033512	A3	20031224		
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2001-329744P P 20011016

AB Disclosed are methods of making **laminarin** oligosaccharide libraries whose members have defined structural and/or functional properties, as well as methods of making and using the **laminarin** oligosaccharide libraries. A protein binding profile of various LS fractions was generated by determining the binding affinity of various

fractions

to a panel of proteins known to bind oligosaccharide mols. The proteins used included fibroblast growth factor (FGF); antithrombin III (ATIII); epidermal growth factor (EGF); interferon (IFN); insulin-like growth factor (IFN); keratinocyte growth factor (KGF); vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF); Apolipoprotein E4 (ApoE4); hepatocyte growth factor (HGF); and **tumor** necrosis factor (TNF).

L12 ANSWER 7 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:846470 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 134:172678  
TITLE: Synthesis and heparin-like biological activity of amino acid-based polymers  
AUTHOR(S): Bentolila, Alfonso; Vlodavsky, Israel; Haloun, Christine; Domb, Abraham J.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Medicinal Chemistry, School of Pharmacy-Faculty of Medicine, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, 91120, Israel  
SOURCE: Polymers for Advanced Technologies (2000), 11(8-12), 377-387  
PUBLISHER: John Wiley & Sons Ltd.  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English  
OTHER SOURCE(S): CASREACT 134:172678  
AB Biol. macromols. are important regulators of physiol. functions. Most of the biol. active macromols. are charged linear polymers like some proteins, DNA and glycosaminoglycans (GAG). Heparin, the first GAG applied in medicine, is a natural polyanion composed of repeating disaccharide units of glucosamine and uronic acid. The amino and hydroxyl groups of the glucosamine units are partially sulfated. Heparin is a potent anticoagulant, and is also active as an antimethastatic and antiproliferative agent. Sulfatation of other polysaccharides such as laminarin yielded very potent new anticoagulants. It was hypothesized that macromols. based on N-acryl L-amino acids bearing hydrophobic or charged side groups, such as -NH<sub>2</sub>, -COOH, -SH, -OH and phenols, arranged into a configuration determined by the chirality of the amino acid α-carbon, may express heparin-like biol. activities. Homo-poly(N-acryl amino acids) were synthesized from the corresponding monomers. Polymers with different charge densities, nature of the amino acid side group, stereoselectivity and polymeric backbone were tested for their activity as anticoagulants, heparanase inhibition agents, and to basic fibroblast growth factor (b-FGF) release agents bound to the extracellular matrix (ECM). The type of amino acid, the polymer backbone, the charge d. and distribution strongly affect the biol. activity exerted by these polyanions. All polymers being active either as heparanase inhibitors and/or as b-FGF release agents have at least a neg. charge d. of 1 per amino acid residue. Polymers bearing hydrophilic side chains that inhibited heparanase, i.e., hydroxyproline, glycine and serine, did not release b-FGF from ECM. The absence of high acidic sulfate-ester groups existing in heparin (hydrophilic) must be compensated by some kind of lipophilic interactions between the polyanion and b-FGF in order to effectively compete with heparan sulfate proteoglycans, causing its release from ECM. Heparanase inhibitors may have clin. applications in preventing tumor metastasis and inflammatory/autoimmune processes due to the involvement of this enzyme in the extravasation of blood-borne tumor cells and activated cells of the immune system. Mols. that release ECM-bound b-FGF may be applied to accelerate neovascularization and tissue repair.

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L12 ANSWER 8 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:773732 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 132:288446  
TITLE: Activation of murine peritoneal macrophages by laminarin  
AUTHOR(S): Xue, Jingbo; Liu, Xiying; Zhang, Hongfen  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Medical College, Qingdao University, Tsingtao, 266021, Peop. Rep. China  
SOURCE: Zhongguo Haiyang Yaowu (1999), 18(3), 23-25  
CODEN: ZHYAE8; ISSN: 1002-3461  
PUBLISHER: Shandongsheng Haiyang Yaowu Kexue Yanjiuso  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Chinese  
AB Activation of murine peritoneal macrophages by laminarin was studied in G57BL/6 mice. Peritoneal macrophages could be markedly activated by i.p. injection of laminarin (40 mg/kg) for cytolysis. Laminarin activated peritoneal macrophages secretion of TNF in vitro in the presence of LPS (10 ng/mL).

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L20 ANSWER 1 OF 1 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1987:421946 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 107:21946  
TITLE: Soluble phosphorylated glucan  
INVENTOR(S): Diluzio, Nicholas R.  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Tulane Educational Fund, Inc., USA  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 84 pp.  
CODEN: PIXXD2  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
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FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 3  
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AB Soluble phosphorylated glucans (I) are prepared that exhibit immunostimulation and cytostatic activities and that are useful for prophylaxis and therapy. A particulate glucan prepared from cultured *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* was suspended in a solution containing DMSO and urea, and reacted with H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> for 6

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at 100° to yield 70-90% I. The survival rate of C3H/HeJ mice treated with immunosuppressant cortisone acetate (II) s.c. 1.5 and I i.v. 5 mg was 68% vs. 12% for the group treated with II alone. I also were effective in treating neoplastic, bacterial, viral, fungal, and parasitic diseases, and they were nontoxic, nonpyrogenic, and nonimmunogenic.

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L28 ANSWER 1 OF 4 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1979:66773 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 90:66773  
TITLE: **Antineoplastic components of mushrooms.**  
**Antineoplastic activities of PS-K, a protein-bound polysaccharide of Coriolus versicolor (Fr.) Quel**  
AUTHOR(S): Park, Eun Kyu; Kim, Byong Kak  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Coll. Pharm., Seoul Natl. Univ., Seoul, S. Korea  
SOURCE: Han'guk Kyunhakhoechi (1977), 5(2), 25-30  
CODEN: HKCHDD; ISSN: 0253-651X  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Korean  
AB **Antineoplastic effects of PS-K, a glucan polysaccharide isolated from mushroom, C. versicolor, were investigated. I.p. injection of 100 mg/kg, i.m. injection of 100 mg/kg, and oral administration of 1,000 mg/kg PS-K into mice bearing sarcoma 180 showed 97.6, 78.0 and 75.9% inhibition, and PS-K also showed good results in mice bearing AH-13 and leukemia P 388. The combined use with cyclophosphamide [50-18-0] and vincristine [57-22-7] reduced toxic effects.**

L29 ANSWER 14 OF 14 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1966:441776 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 65:41776

ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 65:7840d-f

TITLE: Comparative study of the biological action of polysaccharides glucan and laminarin

AUTHOR(S): Fomina, I. P.; Navashin, S. M.; Preobrazhenskaya, M. E.; Rozenfel'd, E. L.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Res. Inst. Antibiotics., Moscow

SOURCE: Byulleten Eksperimental'noi Biologii i Meditsiny (1966), 61(5), 79-83

CODEN: BEBMAE; ISSN: 0365-9615

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: Russian

AB Albino mice were used for comparing biol. activity of glucan and **laminarin**. In the 1st series of expts., the animals were injected with glucan or **laminarin** in doses of 5-30 mg./kg., and then subjected to the action of following microorganisms: [Salmonella typhosa [Bacillus] dysenteriae sonne [Shigella sonne], Escherichia coli, Proteus mirabilis, Pseudomonas aeruginosa, Staph[ylococcus] aureus, S. albus, and D[iplococcus] pneumoniae. Glucan and **laminarin** produced nearly identical preventive effects in exptl. staphylococcal sepsis: the survival of treated animals was 76-83%, whereas the death rate of controls was 90%. In sepsis induced by gram-neg. microorganisms, glucan showed a favorable influence, while **laminarin** proved ineffective. In the 2nd exptl. series, an **antitumor** effect of both polysaccharides was observed. Glucan, 20 mg./kg. produced a pronounced **antitumor** effect against Ehrlich tumor and sarcoma 180, inhibiting their growth by 53-60%. No inhibitory activity of **laminarin** was found under analogous conditions. Since both polysaccharides were of the same mol. structure, it is suggested that different biol. activities was due to their size and configuration. This explanation is supported by a reduction in glucan biol. activity after splitting off some of its glucose residues.

L29 ANSWER 11 OF 14 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:385442 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:75581  
TITLE: Effect of highly branched ( $1 \rightarrow 3$ ) $\beta$ -D-glucan, OL-2, on zymosan-mediated hydrogen peroxide production by murine peritoneal macrophages  
AUTHOR(S): Chiba, Norihisa; Ohno, Naohito; Terui, Takayoshi;  
Adachi, Yoshiyuki; Yadomae, Toshiro  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Lab. Immunopharmacol. Microbial Products, School Pharmacy, Tokyo Univ. Pharmacy Life Sci., Tokyo, 192-03, Japan  
SOURCE: Pharmaceutical and Pharmacological Letters (1996), 6(1), 12-15  
CODEN: PPLEE3; ISSN: 0939-9488  
PUBLISHER: Medpharm Scientific Publishers  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB Degree of branching is an important contributing factor to define immunopharmacol. activity of ( $1 \rightarrow 6$ )-branched ( $1 \rightarrow 3$ )- $\beta$ -D-glucans. OL-2 is a highly branched ( $1 \rightarrow 3$ )- $\beta$ -D-glucan showing low **antitumor** activity and high hematopoietic activity. In this paper, we examined effect of OL-2 on zymosan, a particulate  $\beta$ -glucan, mediated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production by murine peritoneal macrophages (PEM) and compared the activity with other glucans. We used the scopoletin fluorescence assay to measure production of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. The glucans used were laminarin (linear), SPG (branched, degree of branching is 1/3), GRN (branched, 1/3), SSG (branched, 1/2), and OL-2 (branched, 2/3). Pretreatment of proteose peptone elicited PEM with OL-2 for 6 h at 37° inhibited the subsequent zymosan-mediated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production similar to others. Macrophages elicited by i.p. administration of soluble  $\beta$ -glucans increased zymosan-mediated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production compared with control group, but the strength of the effect was different among glucans (OL-2 > SSG > GRN). Similar results were observed all the strains of ICR, BALB/c, C3H/HeN, AKR. **Antitumor** activity of  $\beta$ -glucan was high in the former two strains. These facts strongly suggested that the structure-activity relation of the glucan induced H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production was not strongly correlated with that of **antitumor** activity.

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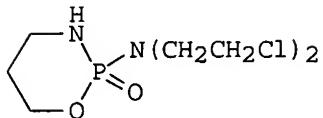
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1978:453298 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 89:53298  
TITLE: The synergistic effect of cyclophosphamide and glucan  
on experimental acute myelogenous and lymphocytic  
leukemia  
AUTHOR(S): Di Luzio, N. R.; Cook, J. A.; Cohen, C.; Rodrigue, J.;  
Jones, E.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Physiol., Tulane Univ. Sch. Med., New Orleans,  
LA, USA  
SOURCE: Proc. EURES Symp. Macrophage Cancer (1977), 188-201.  
Editor(s): James, Keith; McBride, Bill; Stuart, Angus.  
Univ. Edinburgh, Med. Sch.: Edinburgh, Scot.  
CODEN: 38BZA9  
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AB In rats with Shay myelogenous leukemia, primary tumor growth was significantly reduced after administration of either **cyclophosphamide (I)** [50-18-0] (40 mg/kg, i.p., on days 3 and 6) or **glucan** [9012-72-0] (10 mg/kg, i.v. on days 3 and 6) alone compared to control rats. The most effective antineoplastic action, however, was evident with concurrent **glucan** and I therapy as denoted by a mean 97% decrease in tumor weight compared to control rats. In mice, increased survival after i.v. administered acute myelogenous leukemic cells was also observed in the **glucan** and I-treated group. I inhibited, to some degree, the **glucan**-induced hepatic granuloma. The degree of hepatic metastases was significantly reduced in both rats and mice by the conjoint use of I and **glucan**. Thus, **glucan** may be a valuable adjunct to conventional **cancer** chemotherapy.

L3 ANSWER 5 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:803767 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:204804  
TITLE: In vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities of  
Betafектин PGG-glucan  
AUTHOR(S): Patchen, Myra L.; Vaudrain, Tracy; Correira, Heidi;  
Martin, Tracey; Reese, Debrah  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Alpha-Beta Technology, Worcester, MA, USA  
SOURCE: Experimental Hematology (Charlottesville, Virginia)  
(1998), 26(13), 1247-1254  
CODEN: EXHMA6; ISSN: 0301-472X  
PUBLISHER: Carden Jennings Publishing  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB Betafектин PGG-glucan is a novel  $\beta$ -(1,3)glucan that has broad-spectrum anti-infective activities without cytokine induction. Here the authors report that PGG-glucan also has both in vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities. In vitro studies with bone marrow target cells from the C3H/HeN mouse revealed that although PGG-glucan alone had no direct effect on hematopoietic colony-forming cell (CFC) growth, when combined with granulocyte colony-stimulating factor (CSF) or granulocyte-macrophage CSF, it increased CFC nos. 1.5- to 2.0-fold over those obtained with CSFs alone. Bone marrow cells cultured for high-proliferative-potential CFCs in the presence of interleukin (IL)-1, IL-3, macrophage CSF, and stem cell factor (SCF), or cultured for erythroid burst-forming units in the presence of IL-3, SCF, and erythropoietin, also exhibited enhanced growth in the presence of PGG-glucan. The synergistic effect of PGG-glucan was specific and could be abrogated by anti-PGG-glucan antibody. The ability of PGG-glucan to modulate hematopoiesis in vivo was evaluated in myelosuppressed rodents and primates. C3H/HeN female mice were i.v. administered saline solution or PGG-glucan (0.5 mg/kg) 24 h before the i.p. administration of cyclophosphamide (200 mg/kg), and the recovery of bone marrow cellularity and granulocyte-macrophage progenitor cells was evaluated on days 4 and 8 after cyclophosphamide treatment. At both time points, enhanced hematopoietic recovery was observed in PGG-glucan-treated mice compared with saline-treated control mice. In a final series of in vivo expts., the authors evaluated the ability of therapeutically administered PGG-glucan to enhance hematopoietic recovery in cyclophosphamide-treated cynomolgus monkeys. Monkeys received i.v. infusions of cyclophosphamide (55 mg/kg) on days 1 and 2, followed on days 3 and 10 by i.v. infusion of PGG-glucan (0.5, 1.0, or 2.0 mg/kg). Compared with those in saline-treated monkeys, accelerated white blood cell recovery and a reduction in the median duration of neutropenia were observed in PGG-glucan-treated monkeys. These studies illustrate that PGG-glucan has both in vitro and in vivo hematopoietic activities and that this agent may be useful in the prevention and/or treatment of chemotherapy-associated myelosuppression.

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with  $\beta$ -glucan (Maitake mushroom polysaccharide)  
AUTHOR(S): Fullerton, Sean A.; Samadi, Albert A.; Tortorelis,  
Dean G.; Choudhury, Muhammad S.; Mallouh, Camille;  
Tazaki, Hiroshi; Konno, Sensuke  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Urology, New York Medical College,  
Valhalla, NY, USA  
SOURCE: Molecular Urology (2000), 4(1), 7-13  
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB Human prostate cancer PC-3 cells were treated with various concns. of the highly purified  $\beta$ -glucan preparation Grifron-D (GD), and viability was determined after 24 h. Lipid peroxidn. (LPO) assay and in situ hybridization (ISH) were performed to evaluate the antitumor mechanism of GD. A concentration-response study showed that almost complete (>95%) cell death was attained in 24 h with GD  $\geq$ 480  $\mu$ g/mL. Combinations of GD in a concentration as low as 30-60  $\mu$ g/mL with 200  $\mu$ M vitamin C were as effective as GD alone at 480  $\mu$ g/mL, inducing >90% cytotoxic cell death. Simultaneous use with various anticancer drugs showed little potentiation of their efficacy, except for the carmustine/GD combination (.apprx.90% reduction in cell viability). The 2-fold elevated LPO level and pos. ISH staining of GD-treated cells indicated oxidative membrane damage resulting in apoptotic cell death. Thus, a bioactive  $\beta$ -glucan from the Maitake mushroom has a cytotoxic effect, presumably through oxidative stress, on prostatic cancer cells in vitro, leading to apoptosis. Potentiation of GD action by vitamin C and the chemosensitizing effect of GD on carmustine may also have clin. implications. This unique mushroom polysaccharide may have potential as an alternative therapeutic modality for prostate cancer.

REFERENCE COUNT: 26 THERE ARE 26 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD. ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L3 ANSWER 3 OF 9 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:808828 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 140:138897  
TITLE:  $\beta$ -Glucan inhibits the genotoxicity of cyclophosphamide, adriamycin and cisplatin  
AUTHOR(S): Tohamy, Amany A.; El-Ghor, Akmal A.; El-Nahas, Soheir M.; Noshy, Magda M.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Faculty of Science, Zoology Department, Helwan University, Cairo, Egypt  
SOURCE: Mutation Research (2003), 541(1-2), 45-53  
CODEN: MUREAV; ISSN: 0027-5107  
PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science B.V.  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB The inhibitory effects of  $\beta$ - glucan ( $\beta$ G), one of the biol. response modifiers, on the induction of chromosomal aberrations in the bone marrow and spermatogonial cells of mice treated with various anti-neoplastic drugs were investigated.  $\beta$ - Glucan (100 mg/kg bw, i.p.) pre-treatment reduced the total number of cells with structural chromosomal aberrations scored after the treatment with cyclophosphamide (CP) (2.5 mg/kg bw, i.p.) adriamycin (ADR) (12 mg/kg bw, i.p.) and cis-diamminedichloroplatinum-II (cisplatin) (5 mg/kg bw, i.p.) by about 41.1, 26.9 and 57.7% in bone marrow and 44.4, 55 and 57.1% in spermatogonial cells, resp. This protective effect of  $\beta$ - glucan could be attributed to its scavenging ability to trap free-radicals produced during the biotransformation of these anti-neoplastic drugs.  $\beta$ - Glucan also markedly restored the mitotic activity of bone marrow cells that had been suppressed by the anti-neoplastic drugs. These results indicate that in addition to the known immunopotentiating activity of  $\beta$ - glucan, it plays a role in reducing genotoxicity induced by anti-neoplastic drugs during cancer chemotherapy.  
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L5 ANSWER 1 OF 1 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:503739 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 117:103739  
TITLE: Suppressing effects of glucan on micronuclei induced  
by cyclophosphamide in mice  
AUTHOR(S): Chorvatovicova, Darina; Navarova, Jana  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Inst. Ecobiol., Slovak Acad. Sci., Bratislava, 814 34,  
Czech.  
SOURCE: Mutation Research (1992), 282(3), 147-50  
CODEN: MUREAV; ISSN: 0027-5107  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB The effect of pretreatment with **carboxymethylglucan** (CMG) on the  
frequency of micronuclei induced by **cyclophosphamide**  
administration in mice was evaluated. Two doses of CMG (50 mg/kg)  
injected either i.p. 24 h or i.v. 1 h prior to two  
**cyclophosphamide** administrations (80 mg/kg) significantly  
decreased the frequency of micronucleated PCE in bone marrow. Of two  
evaluated derivs. of **carboxymethylglucan**, the K3 derivative was most  
efficient. The results show that it is possible to achieve a suppressive  
effect of soluble **carboxymethylglucan** prepared from *Saccharomyces*  
*cerevisiae* against **cyclophosphamide** mutagenicity. The notion  
may be useful for **glucan**'s effects against  
pharmacocarcinogenesis. Therapeutic application of **glucan** with  
**cyclophosphamide** therapy may provide a remarkable decrease of the  
secondary **tumor** risk. The utilization of these results for  
human **patients** needs to be considered.

L12 ANSWER 17 OF 18 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999426885 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 10495437  
TITLE: Inhibition of heparanase activity and **tumor**  
metastasis by **laminarin** sulfate and synthetic  
phosphorothioate oligodeoxynucleotides.  
AUTHOR: Miao H Q; Elkin M; Aingorn E; Ishai-Michaeli R; Stein C A;  
Vlodavsky I  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Oncology, Hadassah University Hospital,  
Jerusalem, Israel.  
SOURCE: International journal of cancer. Journal international du  
cancer, (1999 Oct 29) 83 (3) 424-31.  
Journal code: 0042124. ISSN: 0020-7136.  
PUB. COUNTRY: United States  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)  
LANGUAGE: English  
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ENTRY MONTH: 199910  
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AB Heparanase activity correlates with the metastatic potential of  
**tumor** cells. Moreover, the anti-metastatic effect of  
non-anti-coagulant species of heparin and certain sulfated polysaccharides  
was attributed to their heparanase-inhibiting activity. We investigated  
the effect of a chemically sulfated polysaccharide (**laminarin**),  
consisting primarily of beta-1,3 glucan (sodium **laminarin**), and  
of synthetic phosphorothioate oligodeoxynucleotides, primarily  
phosphorothioate homopolymer of cytidine (SdC28), on heparanase activity  
and **tumor** metastasis. Investigation of the ability of  
**tumor** cells to degrade heparan sulfate in intact extracellular  
matrix revealed that heparanase activity expressed by B16-BL6 mouse  
melanoma cells and 13762 MAT rat mammary adenocarcinoma cells was  
effectively inhibited by LS (50% inhibition at 0.2-1 microgram/ml), but  
there was no inhibition by sodium **laminarin** up to a  
concentration of 50 microgram/ml. Complete inhibition of the melanoma  
heparanase was obtained in the presence of 0.1 microM SdC28. A single  
i.p. injection of **laminarin** sulfate, but not of sodium  
**laminarin**, before i.v. inoculation of the melanoma or  
breast-carcinoma cells inhibited the extent of lung colonization by the  
**tumor** cells by 80 to 90%. Similar inhibition was exerted by 0.1  
microM SdC28. At the effective concentrations, both compounds had a small  
effect on proliferation of the **tumor** cells and on growth of the  
primary **tumors** in vivo. These results further emphasize the  
involvement of heparanase in **tumor** metastasis and the potential  
clinical application of diverse heparanase-inhibiting molecules such as  
sulfated polysaccharides and synthetic polyanionic molecules.  
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L12 ANSWER 16 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1963:444312 CAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 59:44312

ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 59:8030h

TITLE: Effects of sulfated degraded laminarin on experimental **tumor** growth

AUTHOR(S): Jolles, B.; Remington, Mary; Andrews, P. S.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Gen. Hosp., Northampton, UK

SOURCE: British Journal of Cancer (1963), 17, 109-15

CODEN: BJCAAI; ISSN: 0007-0920

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: Unavailable

AB The compound, a polysaccharide derivative, inhibited the growth of sarcoma 180 when injected at the site of the transplant or into growing tumors.

L12 ANSWER 11 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:423114 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:131856  
TITLE: Inhibition of angiogenesis and murine **tumor**  
growth by **laminarin** sulfate  
AUTHOR(S): Hoffman, R.; Paper, D. H.; Donaldson, J.; Vogl, H.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Clinical Oncology and Radiotherapeutics Unit, MRC  
Centre, Cambridge, CB2 2QH, UK  
SOURCE: British Journal of Cancer (1996), 73(10), 1183-1186  
CODEN: BJCAAI; ISSN: 0007-0920  
PUBLISHER: Stockton  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB LAM S5 is a polysulfated derivative of the glucan **laminarin** that  
inhibits basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF) binding and the  
bFGF-stimulated proliferation of fetal bovine heart endothelial (FBHE)  
cells. This report demonstrates that LAM S5 has anti-angiogenic activity,  
as shown by inhibition of tubule formation by endothelial cells cultured  
on Matrigel and inhibition of vascularization of the chick chorioallantoic  
membrane. In addition, LAM S5 caused a **tumor** growth delay of the  
murine RIF-1 **tumor** of 2.6 days.

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L20 ANSWER 1 OF 1 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1987:421946 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 107:21946  
TITLE: Soluble phosphorylated glucan  
INVENTOR(S): Diluzio, Nicholas R.  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Tulane Educational Fund, Inc., USA  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 84 pp.  
CODEN: PIXXD2  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
LANGUAGE: English  
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 3  
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WO 8701037	A1	19870226	WO 1986-US1646	19860813
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RW: AT, BE, CH, DE, FR, GB, IT, LU, NL, SE				
US 4739046	A	19880419	US 1985-767388	19850819
AU 8662296	A1	19870310	AU 1986-62296	19860813
AU 599045	B2	19900712		
EP 232405	A1	19870819	EP 1986-905497	19860813
EP 232405	B1	19920115		
R: AT, BE, CH, DE, FR, GB, IT, LI, LU, NL, SE				
JP 63500805	T2	19880324	JP 1986-504604	19860813
JP 2550332	B2	19961106		
AT 71528	E	19920215	AT 1986-905497	19860813
CA 1337408	A1	19951024	CA 1986-515890	19860813
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NO 170586	C	19921104		
DK 8701985	A	19870618	DK 1987-1985	19870415
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FI 88109	C	19930413		
US 4877777	A	19891031	US 1988-182550	19880418
PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			US 1985-767388	A 19850819
			EP 1986-905497	A 19860813
			WO 1986-US1646	A 19860813

AB Soluble phosphorylated glucans (I) are prepared that exhibit immunostimulation and cytostatic activities and that are useful for prophylaxis and therapy. A particulate glucan prepared from cultured *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* was suspended in a solution containing DMSO and urea, and reacted with H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> for 6 h at 100° to yield 70-90% I. The survival rate of C3H/HeJ mice treated with immunosuppressant cortisone acetate (II) s.c. 1.5 and I i.v. 5 mg was 68% vs. 12% for the group treated with II alone. I also were effective in treating neoplastic, bacterial, viral, fungal, and parasitic diseases, and they were nontoxic, nonpyrogenic, and nonimmunogenic.

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L28 ANSWER 1 OF 4 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1979:66773 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 90:66773  
TITLE: **Antineoplastic components of mushrooms.**  
**Antineoplastic activities of PS-K, a**  
**protein-bound polysaccharide of Coriolus versicolor**  
**(Fr.) Quel**  
AUTHOR(S): Park, Eun Kyu; Kim, Byong Kak  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Coll. Pharm., Seoul Natl. Univ., Seoul, S. Korea  
SOURCE: Han'guk Kyunhakhoechi (1977), 5(2), 25-30  
CODEN: HKCHDD; ISSN: 0253-651X  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Korean  
AB **Antineoplastic effects of PS-K, a glucan**  
polysaccharide isolated from mushroom, C. versicolor, were investigated.  
I.p. injection of 100 mg/kg, i.m. injection of 100 mg/kg, and oral  
administration of 1,000 mg/kg PS-K into mice bearing sarcoma 180 showed  
97.6, 78.0 and 75.9% inhibition, and PS-K also showed good results in mice  
bearing AH-13 and leukemia P 388. The combined use with  
**cyclophosphamide** [50-18-0] and vincristine [57-22-7] reduced  
toxic effects.

L29 ANSWER 14 OF 14 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1966:441776 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 65:41776  
ORIGINAL REFERENCE NO.: 65:7840d-f  
TITLE: Comparative study of the biological action of polysaccharides glucan and laminarin  
AUTHOR(S): Fomina, I. P.; Navashin, S. M.; Preobrazhenskaya, M. E.; Rozenfel'd, E. L.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Res. Inst. Antibiotics., Moscow  
SOURCE: Byulleten Eksperimental'noi Biologii i Meditsiny (1966), 61(5), 79-83  
CODEN: BEBMAE; ISSN: 0365-9615  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Russian  
AB Albino mice were used for comparing biol. activity of glucan and **laminarin**. In the 1st series of expts., the animals were injected with glucan or **laminarin** in doses of 5-30 mg./kg., and then subjected to the action of following microorganisms: [Salmonella typhosa [Bacillus] dysenteriae sonne [Shigella sonne], Escherichia coli, Proteus mirabilis, Pseudomonas aeruginosa, Staph[ylococcus] aureus, S. albus, and D[iplococcus] pneumoniae. Glucan and **laminarin** produced nearly identical preventive effects in exptl. staphylococcal sepsis: the survival of treated animals was 76-83%, whereas the death rate of controls was 90%. In sepsis induced by gram-neg. microorganisms, glucan showed a favorable influence, while **laminarin** proved ineffective. In the 2nd exptl. series, an **antitumor** effect of both polysaccharides was observed. Glucan, 20 mg./kg. produced a pronounced **antitumor** effect against Ehrlich tumor and sarcoma 180, inhibiting their growth by 53-60%. No inhibitory activity of **laminarin** was found under analogous conditions. Since both polysaccharides were of the same mol. structure, it is suggested that different biol. activities was due to their size and configuration. This explanation is supported by a reduction in glucan biol. activity after splitting off some of its glucose residues.

L29 ANSWER 11 OF 14 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:385442 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:75581  
TITLE: Effect of highly branched (1 →  
3)- $\beta$ -D-glucan, OL-2, on zymosan-mediated hydrogen  
peroxide production by murine peritoneal macrophages  
Chiba, Norihisa; Ohno, Naohito; Terui, Takayoshi;  
Adachi, Yoshiyuki; Yadomae, Toshiro  
AUTHOR(S):  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Lab. Immunopharmacol. Microbial Products, School  
Pharmacy, Tokyo Univ. Pharmacy Life Sci., Tokyo,  
192-03, Japan  
SOURCE: Pharmaceutical and Pharmacological Letters (1996),  
6(1), 12-15  
CODEN: PPLEE3; ISSN: 0939-9488  
PUBLISHER: Medpharm Scientific Publishers  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB Degree of branching is an important contributing factor to define  
immunopharmacol. activity of (1→6)-branched (1→3)- $\beta$ -D-  
glucans. OL-2 is a highly branched (1→3)- $\beta$ -D-glucan showing  
low **antitumor** activity and high hematopoietic activity. In this  
paper, we examined effect of OL-2 on zymosan, a particulate  $\beta$ -glucan,  
mediated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production by murine peritoneal macrophages (PEM) and compared  
the activity with other glucans. We used the scopoletin fluorescence  
assay to measure production of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. The glucans used were **laminarin**  
(linear), SPG (branched, degree of branching is 1/3), GRN (branched, 1/3),  
SSG (branched, 1/2), and OL-2 (branched, 2/3). Pretreatment of proteose  
peptone elicited PEM with OL-2 for 6 h at 37° inhibited the  
subsequent zymosan-mediated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production similar to others. Macrophages  
elicited by i.p. administration of soluble  $\beta$ -glucans increased  
zymosan-mediated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production compared with control group, but the strength  
of the effect was different among glucans (OL-2 > SSG > GRN). Similar  
results were observed all the strains of ICR, BALB/c, C3H/HeN, AKR.  
**Antitumor** activity of  $\beta$ -glucan was high in the former two  
strains. These facts strongly suggested that the structure-activity  
relation of the glucan induced H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> production was not strongly correlated  
with that of **antitumor** activity.

L5 ANSWER 3 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:434382 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 139:12302  
 TITLE: Laminaria polysaccharides for therapeutical treatments  
 INVENTOR(S): Yvin, Jean-Claude; Vetvicka, Vaclav  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Laboratoires Goeemar S.A., Fr.  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 29 pp.  
 CODEN: PIXXD2  
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent  
 LANGUAGE: English  
 FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1  
 PATENT INFORMATION:

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WO 2003045414	A3	20031016		
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RW: GH, GM, KE, LS, MW, MZ, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZM, ZW, AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM, AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE, SK, TR, BF, BJ, CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GQ, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG				
US 2003119780	A1	20030626	US 2001-999202	20011130
US 6660722	B2	20031209		
CA 2468314	AA	20030605	CA 2002-2468314	20021129
AU 2002352187	A1	20030610	AU 2002-352187	20021129
EP 1448215	A2	20040825	EP 2002-787872	20021129
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JP 2005510543	T2	20050421	JP 2003-546915	20021129
PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.:			US 2001-999202	A 20011130
			WO 2002-EP13512	W 20021129

AB A therapeutical method comprises administration to a patient of an effective amount of especially soluble **laminarin** for the treatment of **tumors** and more generally of cancers of the group comprising breast cancer, lung cancer, esophagus cancer, stomach cancer, intestine and colon cancers, and for the treatment of viral, bacterial and fungal diseases as well as diseases related to immunostimulant deficiencies of human beings and warm-blood animals.

L5 ANSWER 8 OF 18 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:773732 CAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 132:288446  
TITLE: Activation of murine peritoneal macrophages by laminarin  
AUTHOR(S): Xue, Jingbo; Liu, Xiying; Zhang, Hongfen  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Medical College, Qingdao University, Tsingtao, 266021,  
Peop. Rep. China  
SOURCE: Zhongguo Haiyang Yaowu (1999), 18(3), 23-25  
CODEN: ZHYAE8; ISSN: 1002-3461  
PUBLISHER: Shandongsheng Haiyang Yaowu Kexue Yanjiuso  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: Chinese  
AB Activation of murine peritoneal macrophages by laminarin was studied in G57BL/6 mice. Peritoneal macrophages could be markedly activated by i.p. injection of laminarin (40 mg/kg) for cytolysis. Laminarin activated peritoneal macrophages secretion of TNF in vitro in the presence of LPS (10 ng/mL).